

Instructions for replication of Araújo, Victor (2021). Do anti-poverty policies sway voters? Evidence from a meta-analysis of Conditional Cash Transfers.

The file "code_meta_rap" provides all the necessary information (step by step) to replicate the meta-analysis implemented in this paper.

The file "data_meta_rap.dta" contains the collected estimates to run the meta-analysis.

- I used a licensed version of the STATA 16 to execute all the commands necessary to provide the empirical tests reported in both the main text and appendix.
- Since I already calculated (and save in the dataset) the values for the T statistics, the partial correlations, and the partial correlation of standard error, one can skip those steps and goes directly to the commands that execute the meta-analysis.
- In case you want to perform the analysis from scratch, I would recommend attention when calculating the partial correlations. The function used in STATA to calculate each estimate's partial correlation creates a positive value by construction. Therefore, one must convert (by hand) this value into a negative one if the t-statistic carried that sign. Thus, bounding the value of calculated partial correlations between -1 and 1.

In the Supplementary Material (Online appendix), I provided a list of all studies considered in the meta-analysis.

In the manuscript's main text, I reported all studies considered when estimating the overall size effect and the meta-regression models.